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CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	09/362,397	1
Filing Date	July 28, 1999	
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Group Art Unit	1753	
Examiner Name	R. McDonald	
Attorney Docket Number	H60-056 DIV	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.			
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AMENDMENT WITH EXTENSION PETITION AND RCE

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for a three month extension of time within which to respond to the Final Action dated April 26, 2001; that is, up to and including October 26, 2001. A check in the amount of \$1660.00 is enclosed to cover the official fee of \$920.00 for large entity status, as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) and the RCE fee of \$740.00. The